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RECISSION OF EMERGENCY DESIGNATION OF SHELLFISH LANDS IN THE STATE OF NEW YORK AS UNCERTIFIED FOR THE HARVEST OF SHELLFISH

Pursuant to the provisions of Subdivisions 13-0307 (1) and (2) and Subdivision 13-0309 (1) of the Environmental Conservation Law and Section 47.4 of Title 6 of the Official Compilation of Codes, Rules and Regulations of the State of New York, and based on a determination that marine biotoxins are not present in shellfish at levels which may cause shellfish to be hazardous for use as food, I, Debra A. Barnes, Shellfisheries Section Head of the Department of Environmental Conservation, hereby rescind the designation of shellfish lands as uncertified for the harvest of shellfish dated May 7, 2015. This order is effective at sunrise on Friday, May 22, 2015 and applies only to those portions of the areas that are normally classified as certified for the harvest of shellfish pursuant to 6NYCRR Part 41 "Sanitary Condition of Shellfish Lands."

Accordingly, the harvest of shellfish from the following areas is permitted:

Town of Southampton: All the normally certified areas of Shinnecock Bay lying west of the Ponquogue Bridge and south, east and west of a line extending northeasterly from the southernmost point of land at Philips Point to the southernmost point of land at Pine Neck Point.

NOTE: The harvest of shellfish from the area lying northerly of a line extending northeasterly from the southernmost point of land at Philips Point to the southernmost point of land at Pine Neck Point remains prohibited

NOTE: The harvest of conchs (whelks) and other carnivorous gastropods also remains prohibited in all that area of Shinnecock Bay lying west of the southbound lanes of the Ponquogue Bridge and east of the western side of the Post Lane Bridge in Quogue, where such activities had been prohibited by a signed order dated May 7, 2015.

I hereby certify that this is the original thereof.

Dated:

May 21, 2015

East Setauket, New York

Debra A. Barnes, Shellfisheries Section Head

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